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In re application of: Michael F. Greene, et al

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For: Device For Establishing Communications
Interoperability At An Incident Site
Including Means For Recording Crisis
IncidentsSerial Number: 10/585,329²³⁹

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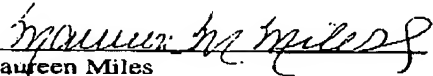
Sir:

**PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL
UNDER 37 CFR §1.102(c)(iii)**

Applicants respectfully petition that the above captioned application be made special and advanced out of turn for examination based on the fact that applicant believes that the invention disclosed therein will make a material contribution to countering terrorism.

The invention disclosed in this application is believed to specifically contribute to countering terrorism by helping to establish communications interoperability between multiple public safety agencies at an incident site. Such agencies may include police, fire, emergency medical services (EMS), and National Guard. Such an incident site may well be one that has resulted from an actual or attempted act of terrorism.

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